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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

G. Alvaro, et al.

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Examiner: E. Bernhardt

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For: CHEMICAL COMPOUNDS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed 17 July 2003, please reconsider the instant application in view of the following remarks.